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Serial No. 10/511,433	Filing Date March 15, 2005	Examiner Allison M. Ford	Group Art Unit 1651	
INVENTION Method for Preparing Tissue Constructs				

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated January 4th, 2006 in connection with the above-identified patent application please consider the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendment to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 7 of this paper and includes an attached replacement sheet.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.